

3. (Amended) The device of claim 1 with a rotor (4,5) having a drive shaft (4), wherein the device (8,9) is constructed to be mounted on the inner surface of the rotor (4,5).

6 (Amended) The device of claim 1, wherein a seating ring (11), constructed for being mounted on the surface of the rotor, is provided on the side of the elastic ring (9,19) adjoining the surface of the rotor (4,5).

REMARKS

The present amendment corrects several formal deficiencies in claims 1, 3, and 6.

ELECTION

In response to the Examiner's request for election between:

Species A: Figure 2;

Species B: Figure 3;

Species C: Figure 4;

Species D: Figure 5;

and Species E: Figures 6 and 7; and

Sub-Species A: The imbalance compensator in position I;

Sub-Species B: The imbalance compensator in position II;